

Helpful Hints Curbside Recycling Service



Here are some hints to help identify materials that are not collected by this service.

Materials Not Collected

Corrugated Cardboard is typically used as shipping and packaging boxes. Though it may come in different thickness and colors, it can be identified by a "squiggly" layer of paper sandwiched between two sheets. Storage boxes and pizza boxes are examples.





Corrugated cardboard is made in different thickness, as illustrated in these photos.

Plastics #6 and #7. The type of plastic can be identified by the number inside a triangle-shaped recycle symbol, usually located on the bottom of the item. <u>If you are unable to identify the plastic type</u>, it is best to not include the item in your recycle bin.

foam cups CD cases aspirin bottles styrofoam egg cartons grocery store meat trays

snack bags some plastic plates some shampoo bottles three & five gallon water bottles some citrus juice and catsup bottles

What to do with items made of more than one type of material?

- > <u>Cardboard tubes with metal rings</u> around the top such as Pringles cans and juice concentrate cans should be placed with your mish mosh. There is no need to remove the metal ring.
- Paper juice containers with plastic spouts may also be placed with your mish mosh without removing the spout.

If you choose to recycle blue glass or corrugated cardboard, Images Recycling at 108 S. 4^{th} does accept these materials.

For more information, call General Services at 309-5750.